PORTSMOUTH LOCAL AND TELEGRAPH CONTINUED—BERKLEY NEWS.

ERRONEOUS ASSESSMENT CLAIM-

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Judge Portlock, in the County Court yesterday heard an application for relief in the matter of erroneous assessment from the Atlantic Chembeal Company of Berkley.

County Commissioner of Revenue L. M. Nichols recently assessed the company's property at \$80,000, the plant being valued at \$70,000 and the land on which it stands at \$10,000. Mr. C. J. Collins, attorney for the Chemical Company, claimed that in both particulars the assessment was excessive, and introduced evidence proving that the wharves and buildings cost \$41,078.28, while the machinery is valued at \$25.000. The land, instead of being assessed at \$10,000 Mr. Collins claimed, should be listed at \$300, the valuation placed upon it by the county land assessor several years ago.

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Commissioner Nichols also introduced eveldence as to the value of the Chemical plant, and one of his witnesses testified that an officer of the company had old him that the property represented an outlay of \$250,000.

Judge Portlock decided that the Commissioner of Revenue had no right to increase the assessment on the land, and, therefore, its value must remain at \$300 until another valuation is placed in it by the Land Arsessor.

The court refused to interfere with the assessment on the plant.

NORFOLK COUNTY TRANSFERS.
Theuben and Allen Speller to R. S.
Freeman, lot on People's Bank Lot
Club property, near Scottsville; \$75.
G. Hatton, special commissioner, to
W. S. Langhorne, lot at southeast corner of South and Sherwood streets;

\$390.
Chas, F., Stell and wife to W. T.
Barnes, lots 5 and 7 Block 56, Park
Place; \$590.
W. S. Johnson and wife and others to
Who. Deans, four building lots in Fordsville: \$75.

Prentis Place Land Company to An-

Prentis Place Land Company to Annie Nee, lot 466, Prentis Place; \$166.

J. L. Webster and wife to C. H. Spann, two improved lots, south side of Washington street, Huntersville; \$975.

A. W. Cornick to Willie T. Barnes, 13 lots on Haynes tract, Tanner's Creek district; \$1,500.

R. H. Baker, trustee, to Wallace & Ferebee, three lots on C street, Berkley, between Sixth and Seventh streets; \$255.

R. H. Baker, trustee, to John E. White, three lots on C street, Berkley, botween Sixth and Seventh streets; \$405.

PORTSMOUTH.
The "Sluggers," of Portsmouth, will cross bass with the "Stars and Stripes" in Berkley at 3:30 o'clock this after-

Mr. and Mrs. George H. Curtis, accompanied by Miss Virginia Griffin, are vigiting friends in New York City.
Mr. and Mrs. J. Wilson Dare and daughter, M'ss Dorothy Dare, and Mr. C. B. Wallace, all of Washington, D. C., are the guests of Capt. Frederick Wiensdorf, of No. 808 Court street.
Ticket No. 800 won the watch that was offered by Boller Makers Union.
Mr. R. P. Hudson, an employe in the Steam Engineeing Department, was the lucky man.

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The S. A. L. band left via the S. A. L. yesterday for Richmond to accompany the railroad party on their

trip.

Dr. Richard Galt, of Smithfield, was the guest yesteday of his cousin, Mrs. O. C. A. Budewald, in Court street.

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FUNERAL OF MRS. LAURA ANSON.

The fuental of Mrs. Laura Palmer Anderson was held at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon from Trinity Episcoal church, the rector, the Rev. A. C. Thomason conducting the services. There was a large attendance of relatives and friends both at the church and in Cedar Grove Cemetery, where the interment was made. There was both honorary and active all-bearers, as follows:

Honoray-Messrs. John Sharp, W. T. Tucker and Dr. F. S. Hone.
Active-Messrs. E. A. Gones, T. B. Cowper, N. E. Whitehurst, Jr., Walter Chadwick, A. E. Locke, Geo. Ewell, Harry Wood and Robert Neville.

FIELD DAY SPORTS.

The physical department of the Portsmouth Y. M. C. A. will hold its first athletic meet on June 16th. The events will be as follows: 50-yard dash, 100-yard dash, 150-yard dash, 120-yard hurdle race, 12-pound shot-put, high and broad jump.

The following members have entered and are now in training: H. E. Dorin.

The following members have entered and are now in training: H. E. Dorin, Stewart Kraft, Garland Peed, W. B. Scott, and C. C. Stewart, the champion long distant runner of Portsmouth. All entries must be in by June 2d, and no one will be allowed to enter after that date. For the best all-round athlete Mr. C. S. Sherwood has offered a silver medal. Other prizes have been given by the business men.

KNIGHTS OFPYTHIAS EXCURSION
TO-DAY.
The excursion to Richmond under the auspices of the U. R. K. P. will leave over the Chesapeake and Ohio railroad this morning with probably the largest crowd of the season. To-day being a National holiday a large number of navy-yard employees will take advantage of the opportunity and go.
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SUPPOSED THIEF CAUGHT.
John Wesley Robinson, a colored boy, who has been wanted by the police for the past two weeks on suspic on of robing a number of doctor's officers. Was arrested last night by Officers Harry Hill and J. E. Diggs. Robinson was found in a house in North street. A bleycle he is accused of stealing from Dr. Cloud's office, has been recovered by the police. by the police.

LICENSED TO MARRY.
In the office of the Clerk of the County Court yesterday, licenses were granted to John P. Forbes to marry Miss Lucy C. Davis, and to John Black Morgan to marry Miss Jane Brown Scott

WILL HOLD TENT MEETINGS.
Rev. Joseph H. Smith, an evangelist, will conduct revival services in this city beginning next Sunday. Mr. Smith's services will be held in a large tent. They will continue till June 10th.



ELEGANT RECEPTION GOWN.



This elegant tollet is of ivory white silk muslin. The broad lace insertions and the confining black lace borders are over pink taffeta. The yoke is of lace "entre deux," which are prettily interlaced under yellow muslin. The girdle scarf, which is finished with a bow at one side and fringe at the ends, as well as the shoulder clasp, is of mousseline. The sleeves are of "all over" lace.

"PHENOMS" TUMBLE.

Brady's "Band of Boers" Win a Beautiful Game.

Petersburg Plucks the Bluebirds' Feathers-The Game in Norfolk To-day-

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GAMES YESTERDAY. At Petersburg-Petersburg, 10; Richmond, 4. mond, 4.

At Hampton-Newport News, 0; Hampton, 7.

At Portsmouth-Portsmouth, 5; Norfolk, 4.

NORFOLK AND PORTSMOUTH TO-

Norfolk and Portsmouth will cross bats this afternoon on this side of the river. The game will be called at 4:30 o'clock and 'Cross Cut' Flannasan will probably occupy the box for the locals. Corroy, the new first baseman secured by Owner Cunningham, is expected today or to-morrow.

The rooters should turn out en masse this afternoon and help the boys to check the crowing of our friends across the river.

STATE LEAGUE CHANGES. STATE LEAGUE CHANGES.

The resignation of Owner E. H. Cunningham, of the Norfolk baseball team, as president of the Virginia State League, goes into effect immediately. Vice-President Brady, of Portsmouth, will act as president until Mr. Cunningham's successor is elected.

It is probable that Mr. Brady will be chosen as president of the league and Mr. Harvey, of Newport News, vice-president. A meeting of the league magnates is booked for the near future.

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OTHER GAMES.

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yr, 0. At Syracuse—Syracuse, 5; Rochester, 3 At Montreal—Montreal, 2; Toronto, 7. At Hartford—Hartford, 0; Providence, 2. Philadelphia W
Brooklyn Chicago
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BALTIMORE'S SPRING MEETING.
Baltimore, Md., May 29.—The spring meeting of the Prospect Park Driving Association ogend to day, the weather and track were ideal for the sport and the fields offered every inducement for the talent, the favorites winning two events handlip, but confidence in Mishap for the 2:22 pace proved to be misplaced. Summissy:

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THE LOUISVILLE REUNION.

CONFEDERATE VETERANS THE TO-DAY. (By Telegraph to Virginian-Pilot.)

Louisville, Ky., May 29.-The tenth an-Louisville, Ky., May 23.—The tenth an-nual reunion of the United Confederate Veterans will begin to-morrow at 12 noon in the splendid new hall erected for this occasion by the people of Louisville. The ex-Confederates and the other visit-tors have found Louisville swathed with bunting, the stars and bars of the Con-federacy predominating.



Sick headache. Food doesn't di-gest well, appetite poor, bowels con-stipated, tongue coated. It's your liver! Ayer's Pills are liver pills, easy and safe. They cure dyspep-sia, biliousness. 25c. All Druggists.

Want your moustache or beard a beautiful BUCKINGHAM'S DYE Whiskers

BERKLEY NEWS AND ADVERTISEMENTS

AWFUL KILLING.

R. J. Townsend Shot L. N. Wood Last Night.

Med on the Street in Five Minutes. Mr. Phillips teld Up, Robbed and Stabbed —Supender Bickle Saved His Life, Life,

Undertiker E. L. Cox, to be prepared for burial,
Wood belonged to Midland Lodge,
I. O. O. F., Berkley Lodge A. F. and A.
M. and Chesapeake Tribe R. O. R. M.
ROBBED AND STABBED,
Last night about 8 o'clock, as Mr.
Phillios, an insurance collector, was passing along A. street, near the old Hope fire engine house, he was assaulted by two colored men, one short and the other tall. They robbed him of \$4 and cut him in several places. But for a suspender button their knives would and cut him in several places. But for a suspender button their knives would probably have reached his heart and killed him. Fortunately the knife blade struck a buckle and was turned, indicting a bad v ind. The assailants ran away and escaped.

The matter was reported to the police station, and in a short time two colored men answering the description of the robbers were seen to take the ferry for Norfolk. The Berkley officials at once telephoned to the Norfolk ferry office,

BICYCLES!

Cor. Berkley avenue and Liberty street,

J. R. WILLIAMS. Funeral Director and Embalmer 67 CHESTNUT STREET.

TELEPHONE CALL

Residence 1220

B ANK OF BERKLEY -COUNTRY trade a specialty. Convenient hours. Interest on deposits. fell-tf

cal Officers of the Confederate Army and

To-morrow's proceedings will be merely spening exercises.
General John B. Gordon, the commander-in-chief of the United Confederate Veterans, arrived to-day from Shelbyville, General Gordon went at once to the head-quarters of Adjutant-General George Moorman.
The hour for the great purpole of the

cal Officers of the Confederate Army and Navy.

A notable delegation reached here this afternoon. It was made up (? 147 members of R. B. Lee Camp No. I. United Confederate Veterans, of Richmond, Va., and the military organization known as the Richmond Howitzers. Brigadier-Goneral J. F. Crocker headed the party, which came on a special.

The fifth annual reunion of the United Sons of Confederate Veterans will be called to order in the Courthouse to-morrow at 10 c'clock, two hours before the meeting of the Veterans at Reunion Hall, General W. T. Coluitt, commander-inchief, will call the organization to order and an address of welcome will be delivered by Bisco Hindman, who is a candidate for commander-in-chief it is expected that 2,000 Sons of Veterans will be In attendance.

General Gordon went at once to the head-quarters of Adjutant-General Gordon Moorman.

The hour for the great parade of Friday, which had waited on General Gordon's coming, was fixed for 2 p. m.

The place of Bishop Ellison Capers, of Columba, S. C., in next Sunday's service, General Moorman announced, will be taken by the Rev. J. William Jones, of Richmond.

Bishop Capers is unable to be here on account of the Illiness of his wife. The Rev. Jones is the father of the Rev. Carter Headen of the Rev. Jones is the father of the Rev. Carter Headen Jones and the Rev. E. Pendleton Jones, and was in the Army of Northern Viginia. He was a close friend of General Lee and Jefferson Davis.

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General Moorman also announced that United States Senator James H. Herry, of Arkanass, would speak at noon Thursday on "Heroes and Incidents of the Trans-Missisalppi Dejartment."

The social feature of these rounions, made so interesting by the large number of "sponsors and maids of henor" that are present, promises to be especially prominent at this meeting. In all about 3,000 young women have been appointed sponsors and maids of henor, and between 2,000 and 2,500 of them are expected to be present, a large number having already arrived.

Before the reunion has begun there is a contest for the next gathering. Buffalo, Clincinnait, Jacksonville, Pla. Memphis and New Orleans are looking for that honor.

Distinguished arrivals to-day include General James A. Walker, the last commander of the historic "Stonewall Brigade, and Dr. J. B. Cowan, of Tennessee, president of the Association of the Medi-